

29 April 1977

SUBJECT: Office of Security Liaison with the
Federal Bureau of Investigation

1. Headquarters Regulation [REDACTED] dated 28 March 1972 provides authority to the Office of Security for liaison with the Federal Bureau of Investigation in the following areas:

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"(1) DIRECTOR OF SECURITY. For the following activities and all matters pertaining thereto:

(a) The security of Agency personnel, Agency contractors, and employees of Agency contractors.

(b) The security of domestic [REDACTED] Agency activities and classified intelligence information.

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(c) Personnel security investigations."

2. The Office of Security has had a close liaison relationship with the FBI for approximately 28 years. The FBI on a routine basis provides information to the Director of Security which the FBI, in accordance with mutually adopted ground rules, believes is of interest to CIA. The Office of Security provides the Bureau on a routine basis information which comes to our attention we believe, as a result of common sense evaluation, may relate to the FBI's jurisdiction. This information concerns counterintelligence matters (in coordination with CI Staff), cover matters (in coordination with Central Cover Staff), security of our employees, operations, information, and installations. The exchange of correspondence is handled primarily by liaison officers which affords an opportunity to discuss matters of mutual interest and to convey information concerning sensitive matters.

3. On 18 August 1976, and in accordance with Executive Order 11905, the Office of Security specifically requested that the Bureau advise us on matters pertaining to the following:

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a. Information of a counterintelligence nature affecting present or former CIA employees and other persons who are or were similarly associated with the CIA.

b. Information concerning any individual suspected and/or known to be in unauthorized possession of classified CIA intelligence information or documents.

c. Information concerning activities by any individual or group which could adversely affect the security or safety of the CIA's personnel, installations, and activities.

d. Information concerning any current CIA employee or contract employee, or any other individual similarly associated with the CIA as a contractor's employee, which would reflect adversely on that individual's suitability for continued CIA employment and/or access to CIA classified information.

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ROUTING AND RECORD SHEET

SUBJECT: (Optional) Office of Security Liaison with the Federal Bureau of Investigation

FROM: [Redacted]
Acting Director of Security

EXTENSION NO. 25X1A

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TO: (Officer designation, room number, and building)	DATE		OFFICER'S INITIALS	COMMENTS (Number each comment to show from whom to whom. Draw a line across column after each comment.)
	RECEIVED	FORWARDED		
1. [Redacted] Assistant to the DDCI Room 7E-31, Hdqs.				Forwarded herewith is a summary describing our liaison with the FBI. This is provided as background to the memorandum to the DCI regarding conversation with FBI Director Kelley. [Redacted]
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